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SUBJ: EXPORT APPLICATION OF REDLAKE CORPORATION, CAMPBELL,
CALIF, AND I. WEINBERGER, ZURICH

1. EMBASSY HAS BEEN CONTACTED BY MR. H. KELLER
OF I. WEINBERGER CO, ZURICH, RE EXPORT APPLICATION
APPLIED FOR BY REDLAKE CORP, PHOTO INSTRUMENT
DIVISION, 1711 DELL AVE, CAMPBELL, CALIF.

2. WEINBERGER ACTS AS THE EUROPEAN REPRESENTATIVE
OF REDLAKE CORP. IN LATE JANUARY REDLAKE APPLIED
FOR EXPORT LICENSE FOR OPTICAL HEAD FOR HYGAM
16 MM CAMERA, PLUS NEON LIGHTING EQUIPMENT, AND
OPTICAL VIEWER ON BEHALF OF VANNIER-PHOTOELEC SA
IN FRANCE; VANNEIR-PHOTOELEC REPRESENTS
I. WEINBERGER IN FRANCE.

3. IN THE PAST VANNIER-PHOTOELEC HAS BEEN LISTED
ON FRENCH IMPORT CERTIFICATE AS END-USER, ALTHOUGH
IT HAS RESOULD OPTICAL EQUIPMENT PROCURED BY
I. WEINBERGER AND REDLAKE TO OTHER CUSTOMERS
IN FRANCE. IN ABOVE CASE, EQUIPMENT WAS DESTINED
FOR COMPANY C.E.A. CESTA, LE BARP, FRANCE.
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4. TELEX FROM REDLAKE DATE FEB 24 STATING THAT
FRENCH IMPORT CERTIFICANTE NO. 1040, ISSUED
JAN 20, 1977, IS INCORRECT. ACCORDING TO REDLAKE,
DEPT OF COMMERCE HAS STATED THAT FRENCH IMPORT
CERTIFICATE MUST LIST C.E.A. AS END-USER.

5. FRENCH AUTHORITIES INSIST, HOWEVER, THAT VANNIER BE LISTED AS END-USER SINCE THIS COMPANY IS IMPORTER INTO FRANCE AND ULTIMATELY RESPONSIBLE UNDER IMPORT REGULATIONS FOR SEEING THAT GOODS NOT RE-EXPORTED WITHOUT APPROVAL OR USED IN UNAUTHORIZED FASHION.

6. ACCORDING TO I. WEINBERGER OTHER COMPLICATIONS ARE ALSO INVOLVED. FOR EXAMPLE, IF C.E.A. CESTA IS LISTED AS END-USER INSTEAD OF VANNIER-PHOTOELEC, THE EQUIPMENT MUST BE IMPORTED BY C.E.A. UNDER FRENCH REGULATIONS; THIS WOULD REQUIRE, IN EFFECT, REDLAKE TO BILL C.E.A. DIRECTLY. PRESENT PROCEDURE IS FOR I. WEINBERGER TO FIND THE CUSTOMER AND, IF IN FRANCE, VANNIER-PHOTOELEC TAKES OVER IMPORT, SETS PRICES, AND GUARANTEES BONA-FIDES OF CUSTOMER.

7. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE INFORM US WHETHER VANNIER-PHOTOELEC CANNOT CONTINUE TO BE LISTED ON FRENCH IMPORT CERTIFICATE.
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